BRAINARD
RIVET
American fasteners.
Global connections.

PRECISION FASTENERS.
MADE RIGHT.
BY PEOPLE WHO CARE.



High-quality, American-made fasteners.

AMERICAN-MADE SINCE 1916 | GIRARD, OHIO | ISO 9001:2015 | 100% EMPLOYEE-OWNED

A LETTER FROM THE OWNERS

As employee-owners, we take great pride in our work.

We're a made-in-America manufacturer of cold-headed fasteners for a variety of industries, confidently carrying on a 100-plus year reputation of excellence from our well-equipped manufacturing center in Girard, Ohio.

Brainard Rivet is a subsidiary of Fastener Industries, Inc. in Berea, Ohio. Fastener Industries dates back to 1905 and is one of Ohio's earliest ESOPs. The eight employee-owned divisions – Brainard Rivet, Buckeye Fasteners Company, The Ohio Nut & Bolt Company, Ohio Nut & Bolt of Canada, Joseph Industries, Modern Fasteners, Die Co., Inc. and Vamp Company – encompass various supply chain positions within manufacturing and distribution.

We are fully committed to customer satisfaction and continuous improvement because we know it's only when you – our customers – do well that we do well. Our quality system is certified to ISO 9001:2015 standards.

What drives us every day is a philosophy to deliver personalized customer service and on-time, high-quality products. Whether it's a small-batch, specialty part order or a tried-and-true mass-quantity part, each order gets individualized attention and discussion at our daily production briefings.

What do we make here? We manufacture small and large rivets, knurled, threaded, pointed and grooved products, clevis pins, and hex weld nuts.

Our focus is print-specific, solid fasteners in steel and non-ferrous materials, from 3/32”– 1/2" diameter and up to 5” in length. Oftentimes, customers rely on Brainard Rivet for special, one-of-a-kind fasteners to meet their precise requirements, which we’re uniquely experienced producing.

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OUR MISSION

As employee-owners, we are committed to providing low-cost, high-quality fastener solutions with personalized service to customers worldwide.

OUR VISION

To inspire more businesses to seek manufactured-in-America solutions.



WHAT WE DO

American ingenuity and blue-collar work ethic. That's Brainard Rivet.

Our orders range from small-batch production up to millions of pieces. Don't need them right away? That's fine – we hold your inventory and fulfill orders when you need them through our Stock and Release program. We're here to make it easy to do business with us.

Our style of manufacturing – cold heading or cold forming – often delivers cost savings and shorter lead times due to high-speed production and minimal material scrap. The process produces improved mechanical properties, uninterrupted grain flow and a higher quality surface finish from the displacement and forging of metal within a die. Wire drawers at each heading station reduce raw material requirements. Most tooling is crafted on-site.

Our skilled secondary department will cross-drill, point, knurl, thread, groove or shave already formed parts.

We're close-knit, smart, talented, quality-minded and customer-focused. Take it from the employee-owners – you can trust your business to Brainard Rivet.



SECONDARY OPERATIONS



MADE TO PRINT, COLD-FORMED EXPERTISE

Custom rivets and special fasteners.

Brainard Rivet specializes in unique, made-to-print, cold-formed fasteners. With more than a century of fastener experience, our ability to manufacture complicated products while still obtaining economies of scale is appreciated by customers worldwide.


COLLARS


HEAD MARKINGS


HEX HEADS


SHOULDERS


TRIMMED HEADS


WELDS

PRECISION FEATURES, PRINT-SPECIFIC PARTS

Solutions to hold your world together.


DRILLED


GROOVED


KNURLED


NUTS


POINTS


THREADED

Ready to talk about your next part? Contact **quoting@brainardrivet.com**

MADE-TO-PRINT FASTENERS

Product Guide.

Product Type	Shank Diameter Range	Shank Length Range
Small/Large Diameter Fasteners	3/32" (2.4 mm) to 1/2" (12.7 mm)	5/32" (4.0 mm) to 5 1/8" (130.1 mm)
Shoulder Rivets	1/8" (3.2 mm) to 1/2" (12.7 mm)	1/8" (3.2 mm) to 5 1/8" (130.1 mm)
Swell Neck Rivets	1/4" (6.4 mm) to 1/2" (12.7 mm)	5/32" (4.0 mm) to 5 1/8" (130.1 mm)
Clevis Pins	3/16" (4.8 mm) to 1/2" (12.7 mm)	1/2" (12.7 mm) to 5 1/16" (128.5 mm)
Knurled/Threaded Products	3/16" (4.8 mm) to 1/2" (12.7 mm)	5/16" (7.9 mm) to 5 1/8" (130.1 mm)
Grooved Pins/Shaved Pins	3/16" (4.8 mm) to 1/2" (12.7 mm)	1/2" (12.7 mm) to 4" (101.6 mm)
Weld Pins and Screws	3/16" (4.8 mm) to 1/2" (12.7 mm)	1/2" (12.7 mm) to 5 1/8" (130.1 mm)

Long and Short Pilot, 3 Projection Hex Weld Nuts: 1/2-13 and M12x1.75

FROM LARGE TO SMALL, WE COVER THE RANGE











WHAT WE WORK WITH

Materials and Finishes.

MATERIALS WE WORK WITH

STEEL

- Low Carbon
- Medium Carbon
- Steel Alloys

STAINLESS STEEL

- 302
- 304
- 316
- 410
- 430

NON-FERROUS

- Aluminum
- Copper
- Brass

FINISHES WE OFFER

- Plain
- Cob Cleaned
- Washed
- Cleaned and Oiled
- Passivated
- Zinc Plated
- Specialty Plating

Cob clean is an environmentally friendly, in-house finishing process that uses organic corn cob material (ground to the consistency of sand) to clean parts in a tumbling unit. Residual corn oil provides a small amount of protection against oxidation.

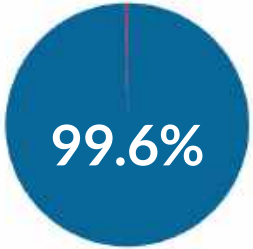




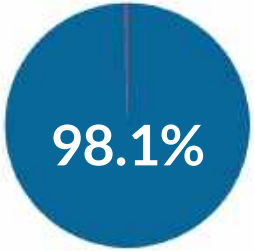
BY THE NUMBERS*

Today's Brainard Rivet.

ON-TIME ORDER FILL RATING



CUSTOMER SATISFACTION RATING



**As of June 2026 YTD*

GENERAL CAPABILITIES

- ☑ Standard or Special Head Styles
- ☑ Standard or Special Points
- ☑ Drilling / Grooving / Shaving
- ☑ Knurling / Threading
- ☑ Heat Treating
- ☑ Cleaning and Plating
- ☑ Stock and Release Program
- ☑ ISO 9001:2015 Certified

WE PROVIDE FASTENERS FOR MULTIPLE INDUSTRIES

- ☑ Distribution
- ☑ Automotive / Truck
- ☑ Agriculture
- ☑ General Metalworking
- ☑ Railroad / Misc.
- ☑ Furniture
- ☑ Cooperages

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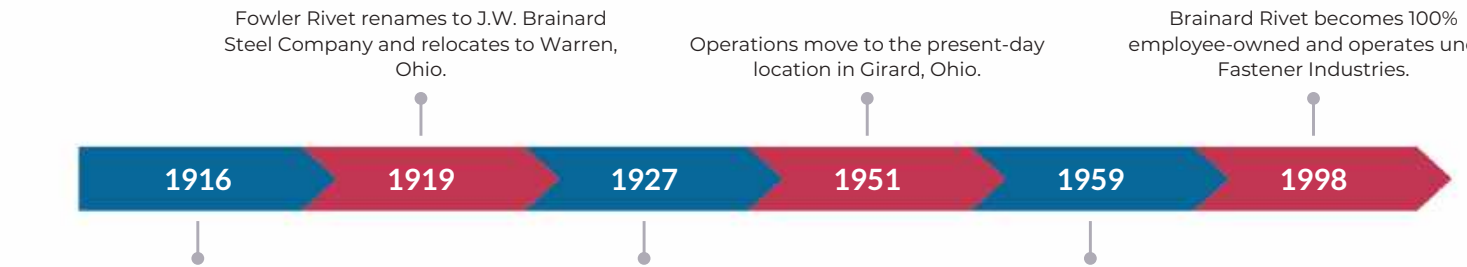
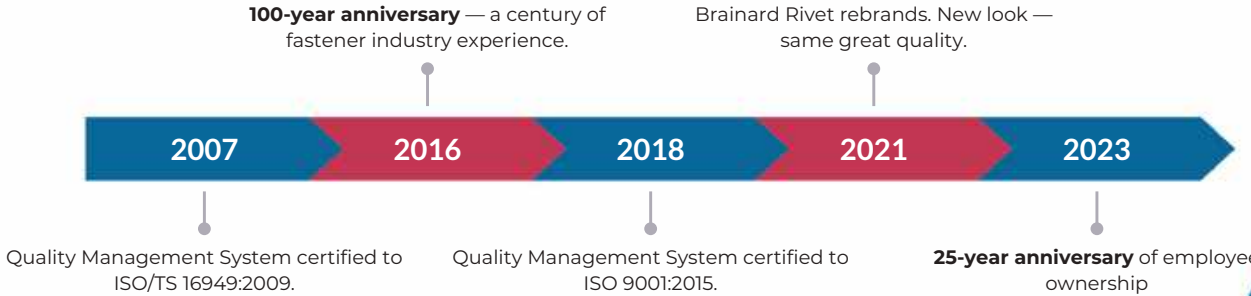
100+ YEARS OF HOLDING IT TOGETHER

History of Brainard Rivet.







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